



# MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION (ARTS)

ARE 0202: ORIGIN AND DEVELOPMENT OF CHRISTIANITY

DATE: 24/4/2019

TIME: 2.00-4.00 PM

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## INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Question One and any other Two Questions

1. a) Explain the causes of the imperial persecution of the Christian church. (10 marks)  
b) Discuss the factors that facilitated the emergence of the reformation in the 16<sup>th</sup> Century. (20 marks)
2. Describe the trends that led to the great schism of 1054 AD. (20 marks)
3. Assess the pros and cons of monasticism in relation to Christianity. (20 marks)
4. Examine the implications of the Edict of Emperor Constantine in 313 AD for the Church. (20 marks)
5. Discuss the importance of studying Church history (20 marks)